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6. The training was divided into three parts:

- a. Medical training - 23025 hours weekly
 - b. Political education - 12 hours weekly (4 hours three times weekly)
 - c. Military training - about 8 hours weekly.
- Total: 45 hours weekly, i.e. five 8-hour days and 5 hours on Saturdays.

7. Medical Training (All lectures took place in the School)

- a. Anatomy, the most important subject, was very seriously dealt with. The lecturer was a Pole with the rank of a lieutenant (this applies to all the lecturers in the medical branch)
- b. Bacteriology (4 hours)
- c. Pharmacology,
- d. Surgery
- e. Physics and chemistry (including gases) (6 hours)
- f. Hygiene
- g. Latin

8. Political education

The so-called "Discussion chats" comprised the following subjects:

- a. Definition of "The Reaction"
- b. Why is it imperative to fight against it?
- c. Explanations regarding the necessity of close collaboration and complete dependence on Soviet Russia.
- d. Benefits arising from the annexation of the western provinces.
- e. Explanations concerning the necessity of political education of officers of the Polish Army.

During each "chat" allusions were made to the former Polish Government and Polish Armed Forces abroad. The "chats" were carried out by 2nd Lt. Ruta and sometimes by Lt. Piotrowski. The majority of the students slept during these "chats" and, therefore, the discussion hours were very popular as a pastime. Discussions did not take place at all as the number of students who were in favor of the present regime was small.

9. Military training

- a. Main stress was laid on infantry drill and marching on the drill square "so as to ensure good appearance of the troops during parades in town"
- b. Infantry tactics. (On the section level).
Lecturer - Capt Wikulski.
The lectures were limited to protected march ("marsz ubezpieczony") and attack, with complete disregard of ordinary march and defence.
- c. Ballistics - one hour per month.
- d. Engineering - digging of trenches (ordinary and communication trenches) and camouflaging.

NOTE: There were no lectures on signals, nor description of weapons and infantry training, probably because the training companies were not armed.

10. General remarks.

Pupils were admitted to the School on condition they had completed two years of high school (minimum). The whole course is planned to last two years, and graduates with the rank of 2nd lieutenant and the title of surgeons' assistant will be

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posted to various regiments. It would also be possible for the graduates to apply for admission to the Military Medical Academy in Lublin, which lasts 5 years, and they would be admitted direct to the second year of studies.

A separate battalion of female army surgeons and nurses was to be formed at the School in Lodz in February 1946. The strength of the battalion was to amount to 150 women.

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